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Mr. K. David Waddell
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RE: Petition of Arbitration of ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc., with BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc. pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996 –
Docket No. 99-00430

Dear Mr. Waddell:

This letter is in response to your letter dated June 6, 2001. In your letter you asked ITC^DeltaCom to answer the following questions:

1). Were the rates filed by BellSouth on June 4, 2001, negotiated with ITC^DeltaCom prior to filing with the TRA?

No. ITC^DeltaCom had not seen these rates until today - June 7, 2001.

2). Is ITC^DeltaCom willing to include the rates filed by BellSouth on June 4, 2001, in its Interconnection Agreement with BellSouth?

Since the Authority has not approved a cost based non-recurring charge for "new" combinations, ITC^DeltaCom respectfully recommends that the Authority adopt an interim rate pending a determination of a permanent cost-based rate.

ITC^DeltaCom submits that the Authority has at least two options for setting an interim rate. The Authority could apply its previously approved cost based switch-as-is non-recurring rate for combinations to "new" combinations, or the Authority could adopt BellSouth's proposed non-recurring rate for "new" or "not currently combined" combinations filed on June 4, 2001.

ITC^DeltaCom defers to the Authority's discretion in this matter.

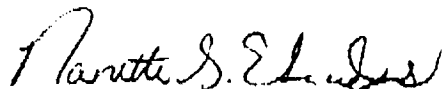
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Should you have any questions, please contact me at (256) 382-3856.

Very truly yours,



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